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Motor Vehicle Use Maps (MVUMs) covering a total of 8 districts across two national forests and two grasslands are now available in a garmin GPS raster map format (.img). They can be found on the U.S. Forest Service PSICC website at: www.fs.usda.gov/psicc. After arriving at the main page, click on "Maps and Publications", and then click on "Motor Vehicle Use Maps".

These Garmin-compatible maps can be downloaded from the website and loaded into any Garmin mapping unit. The best results can be obtained by loading the MVUM maps ont an microSD card in an SD-compatible Garmin unit. They can also be loaded directly into the internal memory of a Garmin mapping unit.

Each map is constructed in a GeoTiff format from the original ArcMap.mxd and then converted into an .img file. Once loaded into a Garmin unit, the WGS 1984 georeferenced image of the MVUM will be displayed whenever the map is enabled on the map information page through the Garmin setup menu. A GPS user can use the map to navigate along the roads and trails shown on the map.

These maps are not intended to replace the hard-copy MVUMs, so users should NOT rely solely on the Garmin information. Hard copy MVUMs should also be referenced to obtain additional important information regarding travel on the PSICC.

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